

## SENATE AGENDA

MAR. 28, 2009  
LEGISLATIVE DAY 69  
CONVENES 8:00 A.M.



### Order of Business #7 -- Second Reading

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|------|---------------|----|----------------|-----------------------|---|
| 2 )  | <b>SB 73</b>  | HA | Hawks, B       |                       | Revise laws on medium-speed electric vehicles   |
| 3 )  | <b>SB 79</b>  | HA | Juneau, C      |                       | Reduced staffing for certain ambulance transports   |
| 4 )  | <b>SB 108</b> | HA | Jent, L        |                       | Revise child custody statutes regarding military service  |
| 5 )  | <b>HB 19</b>  |    | Ingraham, P    | Carrier: Shockley, J  | Revise and clarify state election laws<br>(S) State Administration; Vote: 11 - 0                                      |
| 6 )  | <b>HB 95</b>  |    | Hawk, R        | Carrier: Shockley, J  | Cost of care contributions under Youth Court Act<br>(S) Judiciary; Vote: 9 - 3  |
| 7 )  | <b>HB 147</b> |    | MacLaren, G    | Carrier: Cooney, M    | Revise disclosure of certain late-stage campaign expenditures<br>(S) State Administration; Vote: 7 - 4                |
| 8 )  | <b>HB 177</b> |    | Kottel, D      | Carrier: Laslovich, J | Define conditional discharge of an imposed sentence<br>(S) Judiciary; Vote: 12 - 0                                    |
| 9 )  | <b>HB 222</b> |    | Cohenour, J    | Carrier: Jent, L      | Revoke hunting and fishing privileges until fines paid<br>(S) Fish and Game; Vote: 6 - 2                              |
| 10 ) | <b>HB 301</b> |    | Kottel, D      | Carrier: Laslovich, J | Include paralegal services in attorney fee awards<br>(S) Judiciary; Vote: 11 - 1                                      |
| 11 ) | <b>HB 328</b> |    | MacLaren, G    | Carrier: Shockley, J  | Eliminating petition signature requirements for certain candidates<br>(S) State Administration; Vote: 11 - 0          |
| 12 ) | <b>HB 403</b> |    | Kottel, D      | Carrier: Larsen, C    | Include continuity of care in determining best interest of child<br>(S) Judiciary; Vote: 12 - 0                       |
| 13 ) | <b>HB 488</b> |    | Jones, L       | Carrier: Laible, R    | Revise territory transfer laws relating to K-12 school districts<br>(S) Education and Cultural Resources; Vote: 8 - 1 |
| 14 ) | <b>HB 517</b> |    | Hollenbaugh, G | Carrier: Esp, J       | Critical incident debriefing<br>(S) Judiciary; Vote: 12 - 0   |

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15 )	<b>HB 542</b>	Vance, G	Carrier: Tropila, J	Revise motorsports manufacturers unfair trade practices laws (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs; Vote: 8 - 3
16 )	<b>HB 544</b>	Vincent, C	Carrier: Brown, R	Require disability insurers to refund prepaid premiums without fees or penalties (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs; Vote: 11 - 0
17 )	<b>HB 546</b>	Pomnichowski, J	Carrier: Gillan, K	Prohibit covenants restricting certain political speech (S) Local Government; Vote: 5 - 4
18 )	<b>HB 557</b>	Belcourt, T	Carrier: Windy Boy, J	Generally revise laws related to regional water systems (S) Natural Resources; Vote: 10 - 1
19 )	<b>HB 563</b>	Kottel, D	Carrier: Laslovich, J	Legalization of county roads (S) Local Government; Vote: 8 - 1
20 )	<b>HJ 4</b>	Vincent, C	Carrier: Curtiss, A	Urge authority for gubernatorial wildfire fuel hazard crisis (S) Natural Resources; Vote: 9 - 2
21 )	<b>HB 338</b>	Ankney, D	Carrier: Black, J	Carbon dioxide pipelines as common carriers (S) Energy and Telecommunications; Vote: 6 - 3
22 )	<b>HB 343</b>	Noonan, A	Carrier: Gebhardt, K	Revise renewable energy portfolio standard (S) Energy and Telecommunications; Vote: 8 - 1
23 )	<b>HB 402</b>	French, J	Carrier: Gebhardt, K	Revise laws relating to land banking (S) Natural Resources; Vote: 11 - 0
24 )	<b>SB 490</b>	Brown, R		Increase class eight business equipment tax exemption (S) Taxation; Vote: 7 - 3
25 )	<b>SB 503</b>	Essmann, J		Montana Economic Stimulus Act (S) Taxation; Vote: 7 - 3
26 )	<b>SB 506</b>	Essmann, J		Uniform local option tourism tax (S) Taxation; Vote: 6 - 5
27 )	<b>HB 378</b>	Blasdel, M	Carrier: Wanzenried, D	Exempt carriers for freight forwarders from work comp (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs; Vote: 10 - 1
28 )	<b>HB 404</b>	Reinhart, M	Carrier: McGee, D	Uniform standards for certificates of survey and final subdivision plats (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs; Vote: 11 - 0
29 )	<b>HB 412</b>	Wiseman, B	Carrier: Barkus, G	Revise liquor excise tax rates for smaller producers (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs; Vote: 11 - 0
30 )	<b>HB 483</b>	Jones, L	Carrier: Black, J	Revising laws governing board of environmental review related to energy projects (S) Energy and Telecommunications; Vote: 6 - 5

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| 31 ) | <b>HB 567</b> | Sonju, J          | Carrier: Brown, R    | Revise automobile dealer franchise laws                                 |
|      |               | In packet of 3/26 |                      | (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs; Vote: 10 - 1                 |
| 32 ) | <b>HJ 14</b>  | Warburton, W      | Carrier: Hinkle, G   | Support self-defense in national parks                                  |
|      |               | In packet of 3/26 |                      | (S) Judiciary; Vote: 7 - 5  |
| 33 ) | <b>SB 489</b> | Essmann, J        |                      | Revise taxation laws related to pipelines                               |
|      |               | In packet of 3/26 |                      | (S) Taxation; Vote: 8 - 3   |
| 34 ) | <b>SB 507</b> | Story, B          |                      | Use of river beds   |
|      |               | In packet of 3/26 |                      | (S) Taxation; Vote: 9 - 2   |
| 35 ) | <b>HB 71</b>  | Sands, D          | Carrier: Ripley, R   | Repeal sunset of hospital bed tax                                       |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Finance and Claims; Vote: 18 - 1                                    |
| 36 ) | <b>HB 85</b>  | Sands, D          | Carrier: Juneau, C   | EMS grant program   |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Public Health, Welfare and Safety; Vote: 6 - 1                      |
| 37 ) | <b>HB 104</b> | French, J         | Carrier: Zinke, R    | Revise source of funding for pay for state active duty for firefighting |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Finance and Claims; Vote: 19 - 0                                    |
| 38 ) | <b>HB 161</b> | Augare, S         | Carrier: Juneau, C   | Establish the Blackfeet-Montana Water Compact                           |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Natural Resources; Vote: 7 - 0                                      |
| 39 ) | <b>HB 409</b> | Pomnichowski, J   | Carrier: Larsen, C   | Create cancer drug repository   |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Public Health, Welfare and Safety; Vote: 7 - 0                      |
| 40 ) | <b>HB 509</b> | Ingraham, P       | Carrier: Cooney, M   | Revise requirements for counting write-in votes                         |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) State Administration; Vote: 10 - 0                                  |
| 41 ) | <b>HB 588</b> | Ankney, D         | Carrier: Brown, T    | Revise coal gross proceeds distribution                                 |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Taxation; Vote: 8 - 0   |
| 42 ) | <b>HB 591</b> | Pease-Lopez, C    | Carrier: Shockley, J | Require an American Indian member on the Board of Parole and Pardons    |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Judiciary; Vote: 12 - 0   |
| 43 ) | <b>HB 626</b> | Welborn, J        | Carrier: Barrett, D  | Revise transfer from local police retirement plan to statewide system   |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) State Administration; Vote: 8 - 1                                   |
| 44 ) | <b>HJ 1</b>   | French, J         | Carrier: Hawks, B    | Interim study of biomass  |
|      |               | In packet of 3/27 |                      | (S) Energy and Telecommunications; Vote: 10 - 0                         |
| 45 ) | <b>HB 218</b> | Menahan, M        | Carrier: Jent, L     | Generally revise fish and game laws                                     |
|      |               |                   |                      | (S) Fish and Game; Vote: 8 - 1  |
| 46 ) | <b>HB 362</b> | Henry, T          | Carrier: Perry, G    | Limit liability for practice of disaster medicine                       |
|      |               |                   |                      | (S) Judiciary; Vote: 12 - 0   |

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47 ) **SB 508** Brueggeman, J

Revise motor vehicle laws

(S) Highways and Transportation; Vote: 6 - 3

**Order of Business #8 -- Third Reading**

1 ) **SB 499** \* Essmann, J

Reduce coal severance tax rates for new production for green facilities

2 ) **SB 509** Gebhardt, K

Revise contract sales price of underground mined coal

3 ) **HB 163** Cohenour, J

Revise tax incentives for motion picture industry

\* - Amended on second reading